

**To schools in second and subsequent years of School Improvement:**

Go to the Supplemental Educational Services link on our federal programs web site at (<http://dese.mo.gov/divimprove/fedprog>). Click on the Supplemental Educational Services button and then on the SES Toolkit for School Districts. You will find a list of providers organized by areas in the state. Then choose the providers who serve your area and share the applicable provider summaries below with your parents. You can cut and paste the applicable summaries into a new document to include with your parent letters. You must inform them of all providers who are willing to serve your area or district.

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**Supplemental Educational Services (SES) Provider Summaries  
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**Parents:** Below are summaries of services offered by the state's approved SES (tutoring) providers. If you have questions about a program or other information given by the providers, contact your building administrator. For full summaries of services, click on individual provider names at the following website:

<http://dese.mo.gov/divimprove/fedprog>.

NOTE: Evidence of effectiveness is often based on the provider's own assessments.

**Name:** A+ Grades Up      **Oklahoma City OK**

**Areas served:** all school districts in Missouri

**Location of services:** student's school site

**Subjects taught:** reading, math

**Grade levels served:** K-12; two to four sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 5

**Cost:** \$125 testing fee + \$39 - \$63

**Type of instruction:** small and large group (4-8 students per tutor)

Tutoring done if possible by certified teachers, some with Masters Degrees; some with LEP experience and Spanish speaking. Reports to parents and school through letters, phone calls, conferences.

**Effectiveness:** NCE points gained over a year: vocabulary 14; reading comprehension 16; math computation 24; math concepts 19; total math 23.

**Name:** ABC Tutors, Inc.

**Overland Park KS**

**Areas served:** all school districts

**Location of services:** student's school site, student's home, or community location

**Subjects taught:** reading, writing, math

**Grade levels served:** K-8; 2-3 sessions weekly for small groups, 1-5 sessions weekly for one-to-one

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 1

**Cost:** small group \$40 per hour per student; \$60 per hour for one-to-one—may negotiate

**Type of instruction:** individual, small group (2-5 students). Tutoring done by certified teachers, some with Masters and reading specialist certification; some with experience teaching LEP students and those with disabilities; some may speak Spanish or French. Reports to parents weekly through letters, phone calls, conferences; also email if requested.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name: Achievia Tutoring of Missouri, LLC      Ellisville MO**

**Areas served:** all school districts in Missouri, including St. Louis City, Dunklin Co, Pemiscott Co, Jackson Co.

**Location of services:** student's school site, other sites as needed for student convenience

**Subjects taught:** reading, math

**Grade levels served:** K-12; four 1-hour sessions or two 2-hour sessions weekly

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 20

**Cost:** \$35 - \$55 per hour

**Type of instruction:** one-on-one and small group (2-5 students). Tutoring done by certified teachers; some with reading specialist certification, Masters Degrees, LEP experience and ability to speak Spanish and French. Reports to parents and school through letters, phone calls, conferences at least four times during sessions.

**Effectiveness:** average 1.7 grade level increase for ALL tutored students; average NCE gains of vocabulary 16, comprehension 14, computation 14, concepts and application 13.

**Name: Applied Scholastics International      St. Louis MO**

**Areas served:** districts of Kansas City, St. Louis City, Riverview Gardens, Normandy, Jennings

**Location of services:** student's school site

**Subjects taught:** reading, math

**Grade levels served:** K-8; three 1-hour sessions or two 1 1/2-hour sessions weekly

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 6

**Cost:** \$25 per hour per student

**Type of instruction:** one-on-one for special needs students, small group (2-5 students). Tutoring done by certified teachers, paraprofessionals with minimum of 60 college hours; some with experience working with LEP students and those with special disabilities. Reports to parents and school through phone calls, conferences, weekly progress reports.

**Effectiveness:** 4<sup>th</sup> grade students receiving 11 hours of tutoring averaged an advance of one grade level in reading; students in grades 5-8 with 15 hours of tutoring reduced achievement gap on average as much as 45.6% in reading and 53% in math.

**Name: Be Smart In-Home Tutorial Service, Inc.      St. Louis MO**

**Areas served:** Schools in Metro St. Louis Area

**Location of services:** Students school site, tutoring will be conducted at student's home with parent(s)/guardian(s) in the home at all times

**Subjects taught:** reading, writing, and math

**Grade levels served:** K-8, 1-4 sessions per week depending on students need

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 1

**Cost:** \$50 per session

**Type of instruction:** Individual one-on-one tutoring, small group instruction (2-5 students), large group instruction (6-10 students). Tutoring done by certified teachers; some with reading specialist certification, baccalaureate degree in education/special education, Masters Degrees, LEP experience, Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers and experience teaching students with specific disabilities. Reports to parents and school through letters, phone calls, conferences weekly, bi-monthly and monthly.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name: Best Education and Sports Today, Inc. (B.E.S.T., Inc.)      Arlington TN**

**Areas served:** all school districts in Missouri

**Location of services:** student's school site and other community locations

**Subjects taught:** reading, writing, math

**Grade levels served:** K-12; 2-3 sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 10 per site

**Cost:** \$35 per hour

**Type of instruction:** one-on-one; small group; large group (8-10 students); on-line/Web-based. Most tutoring by certified teachers, some with Spanish speaking ability and some with experience working with LEP students and those with special disabilities. Reports to parents and school by letters, phone calls, conferences, progress reports bi-monthly and monthly.

**Effectiveness:** In participating states, average increases in state assessments are 18% in reading, 21% in math, 22% in ACT scores.

**Name: Brainfuse One-to-One Tutoring**

**New York NY**

**Areas served:** All school districts in Missouri

**Location of services:** home computer with internet access

**Subjects taught:** reading, writing, and math

**Grade levels served:** 3-12; 2-3 sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 2

**Cost:** \$35-\$45

**Type of instruction:** On-line/web-based. Tutoring done by certified teachers; some with a baccalaureate degree in mathematics and English, Masters Degrees, experience teaching students with specific disabilities, LEP experience and ability to speak Spanish, Korean, Chinese, Russian. Reports to parents and school through letters, phone calls, phone conferences every 15 sessions.

**Effectiveness:** Independent studies indicate that students advance an average of one grade level after 30 Brainfuse computerized tutoring sessions.

**Name: Bright Sky Learning, LLC**

**Chadds Ford PA**

**Areas served:** all school districts in Missouri

**Location of services:** student's school site, provider site, partner locations

**Subjects taught:** reading, math

**Grade levels served:** K-12; three 1-hour sessions weekly

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 30

**Cost:** \$37.50 per hour

**Type of instruction:** one-on-one, small group (2-5 students), large group (6-10 students). Tutoring done by Missouri teachers trained in Smart Way curriculum; some with experience working with LEP students and those with special disabilities, some with ability to speak Spanish. Monthly reports to parents and school by letters, phone calls, conferences.

**Effectiveness:** On average, reading grade level increases of 1-2 grade levels may be realized in 19 hours of instruction.

**Name: Carver Learning Systems, Inc.**

**Leawood KS**

**Areas served:** all school districts

**Location of services:** student's school site; provider site; student's home with Internet access and an IBM compatible computer

**Subjects taught:** reading

**Grade levels served:** 2-12; five sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 1

**Cost:**

**Type of instruction:** on-line/web based. Lab coordinators supervised by a Missouri certified administrator, Missouri special education administrator, and a Kansas certified reading specialist. Weekly, bi-monthly, and monthly reports to parents through letters, phone calls, conferences.

**Effectiveness:** Students typically improve an average of 2 grade levels in reading when working 5 hours per week all year with our vocabulary-based computerized program.

**Name: Catapult Online**

**Baltimore MD**

**Areas served:** all school districts that have a minimum of \$1300 per student that is allotted for SES services

**Location of services:** student's home

**Subjects taught:** reading, math

**Grade levels served:** 3-12; recommended 2-4 sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 30 per district

**Cost:** on average \$50 - \$65 per hour

**Type of instruction:** web-based, online. Instructors are certified teachers. Monthly reports to parents and school by letters, phone calls; parents can access online reports after each session.

**Effectiveness:** On average, one or more grade level increase in reading or math after 20 hours of instruction.

**Name: Catholic Charities Community Services**

**St. Louis MO**

**Areas served:** St. Louis City; St. Louis county schools

**Location of services:** Provider site

**Subjects taught:** reading, math

**Grade levels served:** K-5; 3 sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 10

**Cost:** on average \$36 per hour per student

**Type of instruction:** individual tutoring, small group (2-5 students). Instructors are have college degrees or are working on degree. Weekly reports to parents by letters.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name: Club Z! Inc.**

**Tampa FL**

**Areas served:** all school districts in Missouri

**Location of services:** student's school site, student's home, or community location

**Subjects taught:** reading, writing, math

**Grade levels served:** K-12; 1-5 sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 2

**Cost:** \$60 per hour

**Type of instruction:** one-on-one; small group (2-5 students). Tutoring done by both paraprofessionals (60 college hours) and certified teachers; some with Masters degrees, reading specialist certification, experience with LEP students and those with disabilities; some with language abilities in Spanish, German, Creole, French, Japanese. Weekly reports to parents and school by letters, phone calls, conferences.

**Effectiveness:** On average, one grade level increase in reading and math for those completing the entire program.

**Name: Columbia Public Schools**

**Columbia MO**

**Areas served:** Columbia Public Schools

**Location of services:** student's school site

**Subjects taught:** reading, writing, math

**Grade levels served:** K-5; two to five sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 1

**Cost:** \$40 per session

**Type of instruction:** individual, small group (2-5 students), large group (6-10 students). Tutoring done by Missouri certified teachers, some with Masters degrees and reading specialist certification, some with experience teaching LEP students and those

with specific disabilities, some speak Spanish. Weekly and monthly reports to parents through letters, phone calls, conferences, email.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data at this time.

**Name: Education Station**

**Baltimore MD**

**Areas served:** Kansas City and St. Louis districts, Jackson, Cass, Clay, Platte, Bates, Pettis, Henry, Benton, Lafayette, Johnson, Ray, St. Louis City, St. Louis, Jefferson, St. Charles, and Franklin counties.

**Location of services:** student's school site

**Subjects taught:** reading, math, and writing

**Grade levels served:** K-12; two sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 50

**Cost:** \$50 - \$90 per hour

**Type of instruction:** Large group instruction (6-10 students). Tutoring done by certified teachers; some with baccalaureate degree in education, Masters Degrees, Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, experience teaching students with specific disabilities and LEP experience and ability to speak Spanish and French. Reports to parents and school through letters, phone calls, conferences twice during program

**Effectiveness:** Education Station administers our curriculum-based, proprietary criterion-referenced test, the Assessment of Student Achievement (ASA). Raw score results from the 2004-2005 school year show students achieved a 12% overall gain on the ASA in reading and a 14% overall gain on the ASA in math.

**Name: Ferguson-Florissant School District**

**Florissant MO**

**Areas served:** Ferguson-Florissant School District

**Location of services:** student's school site

**Subjects taught:** reading, math

**Grade levels served:** K-8; two sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 2

**Cost:** \$18 per session

**Type of instruction:** small group instruction (2-5 students). Tutoring done by Missouri certificated teachers, some with experience teaching LEP students. Reports to parents bi-monthly through letters, phone calls, conferences.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name: Grace United Community Ministries, Inc.**

**Kansas City Mo**

**Areas served:** Jackson County

**Location of services:** provider's site (transportation provided)

**Subjects taught:** reading, writing, math

**Grade levels served:** K-5; four 30-minute sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 25

**Cost:** \$25 per hour

**Type of instruction:** individual, small group, large group instruction. Tutoring done by volunteers, most with college degrees, many with teaching degrees, some with special reading certification and experience teaching LEP students. Reports to parents bi-monthly through phone calls and conferences.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name: Greater Kansas City LINC Inc.**

**Kansas City MO**

**Areas served:** Jackson, Clay, and Platte counties

**Location of services:** student's school site

**Subjects taught:** Reading, Writing, and Math

**Grade levels served:** K-8

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 70

**Cost:** \$45 - \$65 per hour

**Type of instruction:** Individual one-on-one tutoring, Small group instruction (2 to 5 students), Large group instruction (6 to 10 students), On-line/Web-based. Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, experience teaching LEP students, some sites have language abilities in Spanish, French, Somali, Sudanese, Arabic. Bi-monthly letters, phone calls, conference with parents and school.

**Effectiveness:** Over the last 6 years we have provided an Academic Component to our after school programs. Two years ago we began 21<sup>st</sup> Century Learning Centers and began using computer-assisted learning tools. In our experience, children who participate in these programs 3 hours a week have significant changes in their academic achievement. We have seen children participate in these programs for a single semester and increase their skills more than two grade levels.

**Name:** Hazelwood School District in Florissant MO has the following elementary buildings that are approved providers: Armstrong, Barrington, Brown, Cold Water, Garrett, Jamestown, Jana, Lawson, Lusher, McCurdy, McNair, Russell, Walker.

**Areas served:** Hazelwood School District

**Location of services:** student's school site

**Subjects taught:** Reading, writing, math

**Grade levels served:** K-6; 3 sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 1

**Cost:**

**Type of instruction:** individual one-on-one tutoring, small group (2-5 students), large group (6-10), on-line/web-based. Tutors are certified teachers, some with reading specialist certification, Masters degrees, experience with LEP students and those with disabilities. Monthly reports to parents through letters, phone calls, conferences.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name:** HUDDLE Learning, Inc.

**Basehor KS**

**Areas served:** Kansas City and Springfield areas in 2007-2008; all districts in subsequent years

**Location of services:** student's school site; provider site

**Subjects taught:** reading and math

**Grade levels served:** K-12; two to three sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 20

**Cost:** small group \$35 per hour; individual \$50 per hour

**Type of instruction:** individual one-on-one tutoring; small group (2-5 students); on-line/web based. Tutors have degrees in education, some with Masters degrees. Monthly reports to parents through letters, phone calls, conferences.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name:** Innovative Education Concepts, LLC

**Granite City IL**

**Areas served:** St. Louis city and St. Louis county

**Location of services:** student's school site, provider site, community location

**Subjects taught:** reading, writing, math

**Grade levels served:** K-12; 2 sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 1

**Cost:** \$37.50

**Type of instruction:** individual one-on-one, small group (2-5 students). Tutors have college degrees, some with Masters, some with reading specialist certification, some with experience teaching LEP students and those with disabilities; also some tutors

speaking Spanish and Bosnian. Bi-monthly, or as needed, reports to parents through letters, phone calls, conferences.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name:** Juntos Development Solutions, LLC

**Florissant MO**

**Areas served:** all school districts in Missouri

**Location of services:** Students school site, provider site, and work through existing community based organizations as well

**Subjects taught:** Reading, Writing, and Math

**Grade levels served:** K-12; up to 4 sessions a week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 10

**Cost:** \$35 per hour

**Type of instruction:** Individual one-one-one training, small group instruction (2 to 5 students) Must have a minimum of 60 college semester hours and be supervised by Master's Level Ed. Staff, experience teaching students with specific disabilities, LEP students, ability to speak Spanish and Ebonics, must be certified through Bright Sky and MathLine, Monthly as need letters, phone calls, and conference with parents.

**Effectiveness:** Recent evaluation indicate student gains of 1 to 3 grade levels who participate in the Bright Sky Learning Program

**Name:** KCI Enterprises, Inc./Ace It Tutoring!

**Clayton MO**

**Areas served:** Affton, Bayless, Brentwood, Crystal City, Desoto, Dunklin R-V, Ferguson-Florissant, Festus R-VI, Fox C-6, Grandview R-II, Hazelwood, Hancock Place, Hillsboro R-III, Jefferson R-VII, Jennings, Kirkwood, Lindbergh, Maplewood-Richmond Heights, Mehlville, Northwest R-I, Riverview Gardens, Rockwood, St. Louis City, Sunrise R-IX, Webster Groves, Windsor C-1.

**Location of services:** student's school site, community centers, public library, church

**Subjects taught:** reading, math

**Grade levels served:** K-8, 2 – 2 hour sessions per week, time adjusted for age

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 6-8

**Cost:** on average \$40 per hour

**Type of instruction:** Large group instruction (6-10 students), Tutoring done by certified teachers a bachelors degree is required; some with masters level degrees or above in either reading or mathematics, Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, experience teaching students with specific disabilities and LEP students, ACE IT! Tutoring hires TESOL teachers. Reports to parents and schools through letters, phone calls, conference with parents and school, e-mails monthly.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name:** Kumon North America

**Teaneck NJ**

**Areas served:** all school districts in Missouri

**Location of services:** provider site

**Subjects taught:** reading, math

**Grade levels served:** K-12; two sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 1

**Cost:** \$25 per hour

**Type of instruction:** small group (2-5 students), large group (6-10 students). Tutoring done by certified teachers; some with baccalaureate degree in Math, Science and English, and ability to speak Japanese. Reports to parents and school through letters, phone calls, conferences bi-monthly and monthly.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name:** Leatherwood Enterprises **Kansas City MO**  
**Areas served:** all school districts in Missouri  
**Location of services:** student's school site, provider site and natural environment  
**Subjects taught:** reading, math and writing  
**Grade levels served:** K-12; as required by LEA (will vary)  
**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 50  
**Cost:** \$35 - \$50 per hour  
**Type of instruction:** one-on-one and small group (2-5 students) large group (6-10 students). Tutoring done by certified teachers; some with baccalaureate degree in education, reading specialist certification, MSW, MS Health Services, BS Engineering, Masters Degrees, Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, experience teaching students with specific disabilities, LEP experience and ability to speak Arabic, French, Spanish, and West African. Reports to parents and school through letters, phone calls, conferences, e-mails as agreed.  
**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name:** LULAC National Educational Service Center **Kansas City MO**  
**Areas served:** Kansas City, MO School District, NKC district, Park Hilland Liberty school districts  
**Location of services:** students school site  
**Subjects taught:** Reading, Writing, and Math  
**Grade levels served:** K-5; 1 or 2 sessions per week  
**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 15  
**Cost:** \$25 per hour per student (\$75 for a 3-hour session)  
**Type of instruction:** Small group instruction (2 to 5 students). Large group instruction (6 to 10 students), Masters in Social Work, Specialty in Math, Associates in Spanish, ESL certified, Masters level degrees or above in either reading or mathematics, Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, experience teaching LEP students, ability to speak Spanish; weekly, monthly, end of the year letters, phone calls conference with parents.  
**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name:** Millennial Academy of St. Louis **St. Louis MO**  
**Areas served:** All school districts in Missouri including St. Louis public schools  
**Location of services:** provider site  
**Subjects taught:** Reading and Math  
**Grade levels served:** K-12; 2-4 sessions per week  
**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 2-4  
**Cost:** \$35 - \$45 per hour  
**Type of instruction:** Individual one-one-one tutoring, Small group instruction (2 to 5 students), On-line/Web-based; Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers; monthly letters, phone calls, and conference with parents and school.  
**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name:** Neighborhood Houses **St. Louis MO**  
**Areas served:** St. Louis City and Wellston  
**Location of services:** student's school site and provider site  
**Subjects taught:** reading, math  
**Grade levels served:** K-8; two sessions per week  
**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 5  
**Cost:** \$24 per hour  
**Type of instruction:** individual and small group (2-5 students). Tutors have college degrees. Monthly reports to parents through letters, phone calls, conferences.  
**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.



**Name: New Century Education Services Corp.      Piscataway NJ**

**Areas served:** Normandy, Riverview Gardens, St. Louis City

**Location of services:** student's school site or other district site

**Subjects taught:** reading, writing, math

**Grade levels served:** 3-8; one or two sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 30

**Cost:** \$30 - \$60 per hour per student

**Type of instruction:** large group computerized instruction overseen by a tutor; tutors are Missouri teacher certificated/licensed. Reports to parents weekly, bi-monthly, monthly through letters, phone calls, and conferences.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name: New Heights International/ACE It! Sylvan      Creve Coeur MO**

**Areas served:** Ladue, St. Louis County, St. Louis City, Hazelwood, Ferguson-Florissant, Jennings, Normandy, Riverview Gardens, Pattonville, Ritenour, Clayton

**Location of services:** Student's school site, provider site, community sites

**Subjects taught:** Reading and Math

**Grade levels served:** K-12; 3 sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 4

**Cost:** \$50 per hour

**Type of instruction:** Small group (2-5 students), large group (6-10 students); tutors are Missouri teacher certificated; some reading specialists, some with Masters degrees and some with experience teaching students with disabilities, LEP students; some tutors also speak Spanish. Weekly and bi-monthly reports to parents and school via phone calls, letters, and conferences.

**Effectiveness:** In both reading and math after 29 hours of instruction in 2004-05 school year, 53% of reading students met or exceeded median growth compared to non-Sylvan students. Reading students moved up 8.6 percentiles on average. After an average of 33 hours, 70% of math students met or exceeded median growth. Ace It!/Sylvan math students moved up 17.1 percentiles on average.

**Name: Newton Learning**

**New York NY**

**Areas served:** St. Louis City and Kansas City

**Location of services:** student's school site

**Subjects taught:** reading and math

**Grade levels served:** K-8; two to three sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 50

**Cost:** \$33.33 per hour per student

**Type of instruction:** large group instruction (6-10 students). Tutors have education degrees. Monthly reports to parents, or as needed, through letters, phone calls, conferences.

**Effectiveness:** Nationwide students have shown academic gains of an average 67% in math and 57% in reading.

**Name: Noel-Cox, Helping Kids, LLC dba Sylvan/Ace It!      Ballwin MO**

**Areas served:** St. Louis and St. Charles County; Rockwood, Parkway, Ft. Zumwalt, Francis Howell districts

**Location of services:** student's school site, provider site, community location

**Subjects taught:** reading, writing, math

**Grade levels served:** K-12; 2 or more sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 40

**Cost:** \$33 per hour

**Type of instruction:** small group (2-5 students), large group (6-10 students), on-line/web-based; tutors have college degrees, some with reading specialist certification,

masters degrees, or experience with students with disabilities. Reports to parents every 12 hours of instruction through conferences.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name:** NonPublic Educational Services, Inc./NESI      **Salem MA**

**Areas served:** St. Louis City and Kansas City

**Location of services:** student's school site, community based organization

**Subjects taught:** reading, math and writing

**Grade levels served:** K-12; 2-3 sessions of 1-2 hours per session

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 15

**Cost:** \$40 per hour

**Type of instruction:** one-on-one and small group (2-5 students). Tutoring done by certified teachers; some with baccalaureate degree in Education and Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers. Reports to parents and school through letters, phone calls, conferences monthly.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name:** Provident (site is Shreve Neighborhood Center)      **St. Louis MO**

**Areas served:** St. Louis City Public School District

**Location of services:** Provider site

**Subjects taught:** Reading, Writing and Math

**Grade levels served:** K-12; Reading: 5, 60-90 minute sessions per week Math: 60-90 minute sessions biweekly

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 10-15

**Cost:** \$16 per hour

**Type of instruction:** Individual one-on-one tutoring, Small group instruction (2 to 5 students), Large group instruction (6 to 10 students), On-Line/Web-based; Masters level degrees or above in either reading or mathematics, Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, experience teaching students with specific disabilities, Missouri certified MAP test trainer; weekly, bi-monthly, monthly letters, phone calls, conference with parents and school

**Effectiveness:** Over the past three years, participants in Shreve's reading program that have taken the Gates McGintie test have consistently tested between .5 and 1 grade level above their initial reading level.

**Name:** Quality Educational Strategies (QUEST)      **Independence MO**

**Areas served:** all school districts in Missouri

**Location of services:** student's school site, community sites

**Subjects taught:** reading, math and writing

**Grade levels served:** K-12; 2-4 sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 10

**Cost:** \$70 per hour (negotiable)

**Type of instruction:** one-on-one, small group (2-5 students) and large group (6-10 students). Tutoring done by certified teachers; some with baccalaureate degree in education and mathematics reading specialist certification, Masters Degrees, Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, experience teaching students with specific disabilities, LEP experience and ability to speak Spanish. Reports to parents and school through letters, phone calls, conferences weekly, bi-monthly and monthly.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name:** Ritenour School District

**St. Louis MO**

**Areas served:** Ritenour School District

**Location of services:** student's school site

**Subjects taught:** reading, math

**Grade levels served:** 3-8; 2 sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 5 in elementary, 8 in middle school

**Cost:** on average \$25 per hour

**Type of instruction:** one-on-one, small group (2-5 students) and large group (6-10 students). Tutoring done by certified teachers; some with baccalaureate degree in education, Learning Disabled, Mentally Handicapped, Behavioral Disorder, Physical Impairment, Early Childhood, Language Arts, Mathematics, reading specialist certification, Masters Degrees, Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, experience teaching students with specific disabilities, LEP experience and ability to speak Spanish, Hebrew and Arabic. Reports to parents and school through letters, phone calls, conferences weekly, bi-monthly, and monthly.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name: Southwest Center for Educational Excellence**

**Webb City MO**

**Areas served:** Southwest Center member districts

**Location of services:** Students school site

**Subjects taught:** Reading, Writing, and Math

**Grade levels served:** K-12

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 3

**Cost:** \$65 per tutor's hour (no more than 4 students in a group)

**Type of instruction:** Individual one-on-one tutoring, small group instruction (2 to 5 students), large group instruction (6 to 10 students), On-Line/Web-based; Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers; monthly letters and conference with parents.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name: Spectra Services, a division of Mosaica Education, Inc.**

**Atlanta GA**

**Areas served:** All districts in Missouri

**Location of services:** Student's school site

**Subjects taught:** Reading, Writing, and Math

**Grade levels served:** K-8; 2-5 sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 50

**Cost:** \$34 per hour per student

**Type of instruction:** Individual one-on-one tutoring, Large group instruction (6 to 10 students), computer based software; Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, experience teaching LEP students, Ability to speak Spanish; Bi-monthly letters, phone calls, conference with parents and school, report cards.

**Effectiveness:** In Spectra's Spring 2005 SES session at Hammond School District in Hammond Indiana, a sample of our students using the A+LS software experienced the following results for a forty-hour program: Average Building Vocabulary % Gain = 58% Average Language Usage % Gain = 45% Average Reading Comprehension % Gain = 45% Average Mathematics % Gain = 23%.

**Name: Stanley Learning Systems (Sylvan/ACE It!)**

**Columbia MO**

**Areas served:** Audrain, Bollinger, Boone, Butler, Callaway, Cape Girardeau, Cole, Cooper, Dunklin, Franklin, Gasconade, Howard, Iron, Lewis, Madison, Marion, Maries, Moniteau, Montgomery, New Madrid, Osage, Pemiscot, Perry, Pike, Ralls, Ripley, Mississippi, Scott, St. François, Ste. Genevieve, Stoddard, Washington

**Location of services:** Student school site, provider site, convenient to local school to be determined by availability in the community

**Subjects taught:** Reading, Writing and Math

**Grade levels served:** K-12; 2-3 sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 40

**Cost:** on average \$33 per hour per student

**Name:** Strategic Education **Overland Park KS**  
**Areas served:** Jackson, Platte, Clay, Cass, Ray, Johnson, and Lafayette  
**Location of services:** student's school site, provider site  
**Subjects taught:** Reading, Writing and Math  
**Grade levels served:** K-12; 1-4 sessions per week  
**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 1  
**Cost:** \$30 - \$50 per hour

**Effectiveness:** This program has been used at Genesis Charter Middle School since 2000 and students have averaged a 2 year gain from this program. This program has been used for students ages 4-20 for the past 12 years for individual clients. Pre and post testing show that at least 90% of the students are grade level or above at the conclusion of the program. The number of sessions for this type of growth ranges from 40–150 sessions.

**Type of instruction:** Large group instruction (6 to 10 students); Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, experience teaching LEP students, ability to speak Spanish; monthly letters, phone calls, conference with parents and school

**Effectiveness:** We have a summer reading program for 1000 students' grades 1-8. The average student gained four months in their reading grade level during the two months they attended our program. Many students gained a year or more in their reading level.

**Name:** Sylvan Learning/KCI Enterprises, Inc. **Clayton MO**  
**Areas served:** Affton, Bayless, Brentwood, Crystal City, Desoto, Dunklin R-V, Ferguson-Florissant, Festus R-VI, Fox C-6, Grandview R-II, Hazelwood, Hancock Place, Hillsboro R-III, Jefferson R-7, Jennings, Kirkwood, Lindbergh, Maplewood-Richmond Heights, Mehlville, Northwest R-I, Riverview Gardens, Rockwood, St. Louis City, Sunrise R-IX, Webster Groves, Windsor C-1.  
**Location of services:** providers site  
**Subjects taught:** reading, math  
**Grade levels served:** K-12; 2 – 2 hour sessions per week, time adjusted for age

**Minimum number students required before offering services: 1**

**Cost:** on average \$40 per hour

**Type of instruction:** one-on-one. Tutoring done by certified teachers; bachelors degree is required and sylvan training, Masters Degrees, Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, experience teaching students with specific disabilities, LEP experience and Sylvan hires TESOL teachers. Reports to parents and school through letters, phone calls, conferences, e-mails monthly.

**Effectiveness:** Sylvan guarantees one grade level of improvement after completing 36 hours of tutoring.

**Name: Sylvan Learning Center (New Avenues, LLC) West Plains MO**

**Areas served:** Howell, Ozark, Oregon, Texas and Shannon counties

**Location of services:** Providers site

**Subjects taught:** Reading, Writing, and Math

**Grade levels served:** K-12; 15 sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services: 1**

**Cost:** \$28 per hour

**Type of instruction:** Small group instruction (2 to 5 students); Masters level degrees or above in either reading or mathematics, Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, experience teaching students with specific disabilities and LEP students; Bi-monthly, monthly letters, phone calls, and conference with parents and school

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name: Sylvan Learning Center (New Avenues, LLC) Rolla MO**

**Areas served:** Pulaski, Phelps, Crawford, Dent, North Texas and Maries

**Location of services:** Provider site

**Subjects taught:** Reading, Writing and Math

**Grade levels served:** K-12; 15 sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services: 1**

**Cost:** \$30 per hour

**Type of instruction:** Small group instruction (2 to 5 students); Masters level degrees or above in either reading or mathematics, Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, experience teaching students with specific disabilities and LEP students; Bi-monthly, monthly letters, phone calls, and conference with parents and school

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name: Terry Learning Center of Missouri St. Louis MO**

**Areas served:** All school districts in Missouri

**Location of services:** Student's school site

**Subjects taught:** Reading, Writing, and Math

**Grade levels served:** K-12; 4-5 sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services: 10**

**Cost:** \$35 per hour

**Type of instruction:** Individual one-on-one tutoring, small group instruction (2 to 5 students), large group instruction (6 to 10 students), On-line/web-based; Masters level degrees or above in either reading or mathematics, Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, experience teaching students with specific disabilities; monthly letters, phone calls, conference with parents and school

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name: Total Learning Center**

**Sand Springs OK**

**Areas served:** all school districts

**Location of services:** student's school site

**Subjects taught:** reading, writing, math

**Grade levels served:** K-12; two to four sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 10

**Cost:** \$43.15 per session

**Type of instruction:** small group (25 students). Tutoring done by teacher certificated instructors, some with other college degrees, some paraprofessionals. Bi-monthly reports to parents through letters, phone calls, conferences.

**Effectiveness:** 152 students served in 2005-2006 showed these improvement gains: vocabulary—1 year, 2 months; comprehension—1 year, 4 months; math computation—1 year, 3 months; math concepts and applications—1 year, 6 months.

**Name: Urban FUTURE**

**St. Louis MO**

**Areas served:** St. Louis Public Schools

**Location of services:** student's school site

**Subjects taught:** reading, math and writing

**Grade levels served:** 6-8; four sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 10

**Cost:** \$35 per hour

**Type of instruction:** one-on-one and small group (2-5 students). Tutoring done by certified teachers; some with baccalaureate degree in education, reading specialist certification, Masters Degrees, Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, experience teaching students with specific disabilities, and LEP experience. Reports to parents and school through letters, phone calls, conferences quarterly.

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name: Valley Park School District**

**Valley Park MO**

**Areas served:** Valley Park

**Location of services:** Provider site

**Subjects taught:** Reading

**Grade levels served:** 3-5; 2 sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 20

**Cost:**

**Type of instruction:** Individual one-on-one tutoring, small group instruction (2 to 5 students); Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers; bi-monthly letters, phone calls and conference with parents and school

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name: W.E.B. DuBois Learning Center**

**Kansas City MO**

**Areas served:** Kansas City, Raytown, Hickman Mills, Center, Grandview and Lee's Summit districts

**Location of services:** Provider site

**Subjects taught:** Reading, Writing and Math

**Grade levels served:** 2-12; 1 each of Mathematics and Communication Arts per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** n/a

**Cost:** \$30 per hour

**Type of instruction:** Individual one-on-one tutoring, small group instruction (2 to 5 students), large group instruction (6 to 10 students), On-line/web-based; Masters level degrees or above in either reading or mathematics, Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, career experience in math or communication arts fields; bi-monthly and monthly letters, phone calls, conference with parents and school

**Effectiveness:** No statistical data given.

**Name: Webster Groves School District**

**Webster Groves MO**

**Areas served:** Webster Groves School District

**Location of services:** Student's school site

**Subjects taught:** Reading, Writing and Math

**Grade levels served:** 3-8; 2-3 sessions per week

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 1

**Cost:** \$30 per hour

**Type of instruction:** Individual one-on-one tutoring, small group instruction (2 to 5 students); Masters level degrees or above in either reading or mathematics, Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, experience teaching students with specific disabilities; End of semester phone calls, conference with parents and school, and progress reports

**Effectiveness:** In communication arts, only 8% of our students scored in the bottom two for the entire district and 56% scored in the top two on MAP for 3<sup>rd</sup> grade. In math, only 5% of the students in 4<sup>th</sup> grade scored in the bottom two and 69% on MAP.

**Name: Wentzville School District**

**Wentzville MO**

**Areas served:** Wentzville School District

**Location of services:** Student's school site

**Subjects taught:** Reading, Writing and Math

**Grade levels served:** 3-5

**Minimum number students required before offering services:** 10

**Cost:**

**Type of instruction:** Individual one-on-one tutoring, small group instruction (2 to 5 students); Missouri teacher certificated/licensed teachers, Experience teaching students with specific disabilities and LEP students; monthly letters, phone calls, conference with parents and school

**Effectiveness:** new program so no data at this time.